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NOTES ON SOLID WASTE PROGRAM FOR SANDUSKY COUNTY

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General

December 12, 13 & 14, 1966, with local officials, inspection of the solid waste (garbage, trash, etc.) storage collection and disposal program for Sandusky County was made. Those or their assistants consulted were:

Sandusky County Health Department, Dr. William J. Boswell, Commissioner, Richard Dern, Sanitarian. Sandusky Board of Commissioners, Lee Snow, Chairman, Ruth Megget, Clerk. Sandusky County Engineer, Miles Newton, Sandusky County Prosecutor Harry Sargent. Sandusky County Planning Commission, Martin Ludwig, Chairman. Village of Clyde, Warren T. Curtis, City Manager.

The population distribution and type of solid waste program are shown below.

Sandusky County Population Distribution

<u>Area</u> <u>Cities</u>	<u>Population</u>	<u>Type of Solid Waste Program</u>	
		<u>Collection</u>	<u>Disposal</u>
Bellevue	4,511 Sandusky Co.	Private	Sandusky City
Fremont	20,243	Mun. & Private	Mun. & Private
<u>Villages</u>			
Burgoon	251	Private	Township
Clyde	4,984	Private	Municipal
Gibsonburg	2,649	Private	Private
Green Springs	626	Private	Private
Helena	291	Municipal	Municipal
Lindsey	609	Private	Township
Woodville	1,878	Private	Private
Balance of County	25,033	Private	Private
Total County	61,075		

The population of the county excluding the cities, is 36,321. from which it is estimated that there are 1120 family units, 490 commercial establishments and an unknown number of industries.

Using average units the solid waste volume is estimated at 25,000 tons per year and collection and disposal should be less than \$15.00 per ton.

SANDUSKY COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Storage shall be in watertight containers.

Regulations state that permits shall be obtained by private haulers. Vehicles must be watertight and covered. Tarpaulin covers are accepted. In 1966 ed. of permits were issued.

Disposal shall be by burial, burning or hog feeding as approved by the Health Commissioner.

STORAGE

Storage of solid waste is required to be in watertight containers by Health Department regulation. This regulation is also a requirement of the private hauler.

There is no report of village ordinance for storage requirement.

COLLECTION

All collection is on a subscription basis and the average fee for weekly collection and disposal for a family unit is \$2.50 per month. Fees for commercial and industrial sources vary according to the volume generated.

Except for the village of Orleans all solid waste is collected by private hauler under permit to the local health department.

DISPOSAL

Disposal of solid waste is at municipal, township and private areas and there are 17 disposal areas as listed below and the locations shown on the attached map.

SANDUSKY COUNTY DISPOSAL AREAS

<u>Area</u>	<u>Type</u>
Bellevue	Dump
County Line	Landfill
Clyde Village	Landfill
Fremont City	Dump
Libsonburg Village	Dump
Open Creek	Dump
Orleans Village	Dump
Sandsey Village and Washington	Dump
Madison Township	Dump
McCreth (Private)	Landfill

Pleasant Township
Valley Township
Scott Township
Downsard Township
Mocksville Township
Hard Township

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Olyde village is the only village that has assumed responsibility for the disposal of all classes of solid wastes. A contract has been given to George Snyder to operate the sanitary disposal area using the Landfill standards of the Local Health Department.

COMMENT

A system of collection should serve all sources of solid waste.

Sandusky County sanitary landfill standards should be upgraded to meet current standards of the state health department, a copy of which is attached.

Two or three sanitary landfills should be established probably by the Board of County Commissioners to serve the entire county of Sandusky after which all dumps should be abandoned.

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